

*Robertson county.*—James Davis Grant, of Hearne, was born in Maury county, Tennessee, January 6, 1818; emigrated to Pontotoc county, Mississippi, in March, 1840, and to Texas, in 1847, and settled in Rusk county; moved to Robertson county in March, 1852; is a farmer by occupation; was elected assessor and collector of taxes from 1854, until 1865; has also been county commissioner several times; was elected to the House of Representatives, as an Independent-Democrat, over several opponents.